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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re the application of: Linda C. Burkly

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For: TREATMENT FOR INSULIN DEPENDENT
DIABETES

Attorney Docket No.: BGP-151CP

Group Art Unit: 1806

Examiner: S. Ungar

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 4, 1997, kindly amend the application as follows. A separate petition for an extension of time is being filed concurrently herewith.

In the claims:

Please amend claims 10, 16 and 18.

~~10. (Amended) A method for the treatment of insulin dependent type I diabetes comprising administering to a mammal with a susceptibility to diabetes one or more compositions selected from the group consisting of (,) an antibody, [a recombinant antibody, a chimeric antibody,] fragments of such antibodies, soluble VCAM-1~~

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